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THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY  
AUDUBON PARK  
156TH STREET, WEST OF BROADWAY  
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Dr. Asher D. McKim,  
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Dear Sir:-

On the 6<sup>th</sup> of April, <sup>1908</sup> This Society will hold a meeting & commemorate the fiftieth anniversary of the first regular meeting of the Society, which ~~occurred~~ <sup>took place</sup> on April 6<sup>th</sup> 1858.

This meeting will be held in the new building, which the Society has just erected, (within sight of the Subway station at 157<sup>th</sup> and Broadway), the Society's very extensive collections will be on exhibition and we expect that it will be a most interesting occasion.

The meeting which we commemorate was attended by twelve gentlemen who at that time organized the American Numismatic Society and adopted a Constitution.

As far as I have been able to ascertain you are the only one now living who attended this meeting and participated in the organization of the Society.

I am instructed by the Council to extend to you a most cordial invitation to join with us in celebrating the birth of our Society.

Hoping to have the pleasure of greeting you personally on that occasion, I am, believe me,

Very truly yours Bauman L. Belden  
Recording Secretary